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Case 2080D

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: David Drew Morris
Application No.: 10 / 625,008
Filing Date: July 23, 2003
Title: CONDUIT INSERT FOR OPTICAL FIBER CABLE

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Charlotte C. Wilson, Agent for Applicant

Date:

January 18, 2006

Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR §1.136 for an extension of two (2) months in which to respond to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 18, 2005. Acceptance of this petition will extend the time to respond to the Office Action to January 18, 2006.

Please charge the \$450.00 fee and any additional fees necessary for these papers to Deposit Account Number 04-0500.

Applicant hereby requests any additional time required to make these papers timely, and authorization is hereby granted to withdraw any fees necessary for this additional time from Deposit Account Number 04-0500.

Respectfully submitted,

January 18, 2006

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